

**REMARKS**

Claims 1-14 are pending in this application. By this Amendment, claim 14 is added. Support for new claim 14 can be found, for example, in the specification as filed at paragraphs [0035-0036], [0096] and [0098]. No new matter is added.

This Amendment is presented as a supplement to the Amendment After Final Rejection and the arguments contained therein filed January 23, 2009. As they are being filed with a Request For Continued Examination, entry of the amendments included herein and in the Amendment After Final Rejection is proper. Arguments addressing the outstanding rejections are set forth in the Amendment After Final Rejection, and are not repeated here.

With regard to claim 14, none of the previously cited art references disclose an electro-optical device according to claim 1, the capacitor wire, the electrodes of the exterior circuit connection terminals and the relay electrodes each having a plural layered structure including an aluminum-based layer and a layer based on a metal other than aluminum.

Favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance of claims 1-14 are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,



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